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April 22, 2005

Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni  
Chief Clerk/Administrator  
South Carolina Public Service Commission  
101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100  
Columbia, SC 29210

Re: South Carolina Pipeline Corporation - Annual Review of Purchased Gas  
Adjustment (PGA) and Gas Purchasing Policies  
Docket No. 2005-6-G

Dear Mr. Terreni:

For your docket, please find enclosed a copy of the Office of Regulatory Staff's Information Data Request Set No. 1, which was served on counsel for the Applicant. Please date stamp the extra copy enclosed and return it to me via our courier.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

*Wendy B. Cartledge*

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WBC/cc

Enclosures

cc: K. Chad Burgess, Esquire  
Scott Elliott, Esquire  
James N. Horwood, Esquire

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**  
**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**DOCKET NO. 2005-6-G**

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**INFORMATION  
DATA REQUESTS  
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**TO: K. CHAD BURGESS, ATTORNEY FOR SOUTH CAROLINA PIPELINE CORPORATION**

On October 5, 1987 the Public Service Commission of South Carolina issued its Order No. 87-1122 which requires the annual review of the Purchased Gas Adjustment and the Gas Purchasing Policies of South Carolina Pipeline Corporation.

Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-4-10, 58-4-50, and 58-4-55, as enacted by 2004 S.C. Acts 175, and 26 S.C. Code Regs. 103-853 (Supp. 2003), the Office of Regulatory Staff hereby serves the within Data Requests upon South Carolina Pipeline Corporation (hereafter referred to as "SCPC" or "the Company").

The Office of Regulatory Staff hereby requests, pursuant to 26 S.C. Code Regs. 103-853 (Supp. 2003), that you answer the following data requests in writing and under oath within ten (10) days after service at the Office of Regulatory Staff, 1441 Main Street, Suite 300, Columbia, South Carolina, 29201. If you are unable to respond to any of the data requests, or part or parts thereof, please specify the reason for your inability to respond and state what other knowledge or information you have concerning the unanswered portion.

As used in these data requests, "identify" means, when asked to identify a person, to provide the full name, business title, address and telephone number. When asked to identify a

document, "identify" means to provide a full and detailed description of the document. In lieu of providing a full and detailed description of a document, you may attach to your responses a copy of the document and identify the person who has custody of it. When the word "document" is used herein, it means any written, printed, typed, graphic, photographic, or electronic matter of any kind or nature and includes, but is not limited to, statements, contracts, agreements, reports, opinions, graphs, books, records, letters, correspondence, notes, notebooks, minutes, diaries, memoranda, transcripts, photographs, pictures, photomicrographs, prints, negatives, motion pictures, sketches, drawings, publications, and tape recordings.

Wherever in this data request a masculine pronoun or possessive adjective appears, it refers to both males and females in accordance with traditional English usage.

**IT IS THEREFORE REQUESTED:**

- I. That all information requested below, unless otherwise specified, shall be limited to Company's South Carolina Electric Retail Operations for the period under review in this docket.
- II. That all information shall be provided to the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff in the format requested.
- III. That all responses to the data requests below be labeled using the same numbers as used herein.
- IV. That the requested information be bound in 3-ring binders with numbered tabs between each question.
- V. That if information requested is found in other places or other exhibits, reference shall not be made to those; instead, reproduce and place in the Data Request in the appropriate numerical sequence.
- VI. That any inquiries or communications relating to questions concerning clarification of the data requested below should be directed to Jay Jashinsky or John W. Flitter, of the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff.
- VII. That this entire list of questions be reproduced and included in front of each set of responses.

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4. Provide the upstream firm transportation capacity contracts the Company has contracted with its interstate pipelines as of November 2004.
5. Provide the firm peak day requirements experienced each month during the review period.
6. Provide documentation to support that the price South Carolina Pipeline Corporation pays for the gas it purchases from its suppliers, both Commodity and Demand are competitive with the market and prudent.

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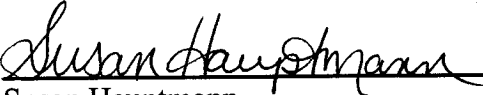
**CERTIFICATE  
OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that I, Susan Hauptmann, have served this day the foregoing Information Data Request Set No. 1, upon the person(s) named below, at the address set forth via first class United States mail, postage prepaid.

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This 22<sup>nd</sup> day of April, 2005  
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